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Jocelyn Boyd Chief Clerk and Administrator South Carolina Public Service Commission 101 Executive Center Drive Columbia, SC 29210

> Re: Application of Duke Energy Corporation and Progress Energy, Inc. on Behalf of Their Electric Utility Subsidiaries Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Progress Energy Carolinas, Inc. to Engage in a Business Combination Transaction

Dear Ms. Boyd:

I am enclosing for lining the Petition to Intervene of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers in the above-referenced matter. By copy of this letter we are servicing the same on the parties of record in this proceeding.

Your cooperation is greatly appreciated. Should you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

DERFNER, ALTMAN & WILBORN, LLC

D. Peters Wilborn

Enclosures

cc: All parties of record (w/enc.)